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DEMOCRATS PROTEST MEETING

APPEAL TO STATE DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE

Enraged Democrats of Wilmington are protesting to the State Democratic Committee that a Wilmington Town Democratic Committee meeting held Tuesday night was illegal.

The same protest is to be filed with the Massachusetts Secretary of State, either today or tomorrow.

The meeting, held Tuesday in the V.F.W. Hall, on Main St., elected officers for the coming year, and delegates to the Democratic State convention, elections which were illegal according to a large minority of the Wilmington Democratic Committee.

The meeting had been scheduled for the 18th of May, by last year's Town Democratic Committee. It was suddenly advanced 24 hours, to the 17th., and notices were not mailed out until 10 am on the 16th., giving many members of the Town Democratic Committee very short notice of the change.

Three members were unable to attend - Fred F. Cain, Atty. Simon Cutter and Dr. Gerald Fagan. In each instance the men had prior commitments which they were unable to break, and were prepared to attend the regular Wednesday meeting.

The decision to advance the meeting to Tuesday was allegedly made Sunday night, in a Shawsheen Avenue home, by James McLaughlin, and a group

of friends. Mr. McLaughlin, chairman of the Committee last year, was successfully re-elected as a result of the change in dates, the minority charges, in a very close vote.

Protested In Meeting

James P. Donahue, of Cypress Street protested the change of dates at the beginning of the Tuesday night meeting. A member of the Wilmington Housing Authority, with a scheduled meeting for that night, he believes the meeting date was deliberately chosen with the hope that he too would be unable to attend.

Very Close Votes

The votes for officers of the local committee and for delegates to the state convention were very close, being in the neighborhood of 17 to 15 during the entire evening.

One vote, that for Recording Secretary was tied at first, but the tie was broken in the second ballot.

Re-elected as Chairman of the Committee was James McLaughlin of Shawsheen Avenue, a man who is not in favor with many of the Wilmington Democrats, and who was reputed to have engineered the Sunday night meeting.

Elected Vice Chairman of the Committee was Cecil Cantrell of High Street. Anne Visconti of Nassau Avenue was elected Recording Secretary, Eleanor O'Keeffe of Columbia Street Corresponding Secretary, and

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LA DERNIER CLASSE
Father Edmund Croke, Parish Priest of St. Thomas, and some of the youngsters who took First Communion last Sunday, the last class to do so in the present church building.

JEANNE TO BE FETED SATURDAY



OLYMPIC CHAMPION TO BE GUEST AT TESTIMONIAL

The incomparable Jeanne Ashworth, acknowledged fastest woman skater in North America, and only Olympic Speed Skating Champion, in the Women's Division, in 1960, is to be the guest of honor, at the High School Gymnasium, Saturday evening.

The High School Gymnasium is expected to be filled to capacity, as the people of Wilmington pay tribute to the diminutive champion, who 'just simply had to beat a Russian'.

Nicholas De Felice, Chairman of Wilmington's Board of Selectmen is to officiate at the banquet, as toastmaster.

Among the invited guests are to be the Rev. Richard Harding

MASSES IN ST DOROTHY'S SUNDAY

Regular masses are to start, Sunday, in the new St. Dorothy's Church, at the corner of Main and Harnden Streets.

Masses, on Sundays, will be at 6:15; 7:30; 9:00; 10:30; and 11:45.

X RAY PROGRAM FOR FOOD HANDLERS

The Board of Health, Monday night, voted to institute a program whereby all food handlers in Wilmington will be X-Rayed, for possible tuberculosis.

The program is to be in operation on June 17th, the board voted, and after that any food handling establishment which employs people who have no X-Ray cards will be subject to immediate closure.

Arrangements have been made with the Lowell City Health Department to do the work of X-Raying, for a nominal fee of

of the Wilmington Methodist Church, Richard Tarpey of Arlington, President of the North Eastern Skating Association, and Tom Galvin, President of the Wilmington Skating Club.

Arthur Smith, of the Middle Atlantic Skating Association, recognized as one of the foremost authorities in the US on Olympic style skating, is to appear and speak. Mr. Smith, who rarely speaks before the public, is to show films he has taken, of Evgenij Grishian - Russian Champion who has skated 500 meters in 39.6, an unofficial world's record.

This is the only film known to show Grishian in action at this record breaking event.

Arthur Smith is replacing George Hare, Olympic Judge, who also officiated at the Eastern Seaboard Outdoor Championships, last February on Silver Lake.

NOTED PHYSICIST LECTURES TO HIGH SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

Dr. Gordon F. Hull Jr., of Sylvania Electronics addressed the High School Assembly Monday afternoon with an illustrated lecture on Radio and Light Waves. The lecture was followed by a question and answer period.

Dr. Hull later had a meeting with the Science Club members. The program of Visiting Physicists, under which Dr. Hull spoke, is co-sponsored by the American Association of Physics Teachers and the National Science Foundation.

At the same assembly, certificates were awarded to the five winners of the Science Fair whose exhibits were also shown at the Lowell Technorama and to Norman Norton, eighth grade student who was winner of the Phase 1 of 'Science Countdown'

COMMERCE OFFICIAL CONFIRMS TOWN COUNSEL'S STAND ON STREET NAMES

Lou Smith, an official of the Mass. Dept. of Commerce, and a Selectman of the Town of Bedford, told the Planning Board Tuesday night that, although he wasn't fully able to interpret the meaning of Chapter 85 of the General Laws, the Town of Bedford had changed names of streets only in Town Meeting.

Mr. Smith, who was asked to visit with the Planning Board, was referring to the recent ruling by Town Counsel Philip Buzzell that the Street Renaming Program of the Planning Board had no basis legally.

As a result of this conversation, and the report of a conversation between Planning Board member Bob Evans and Mr. Buzzell, in which Evans stated that Buzzell felt that the Town Meeting should vote on names, the Planning Board decided to introduce an article into the warrant for a future Town Meeting, which would ask to ratify its actions on street names.

BOOKMOBILE

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PONY LEAGUE OPENS SEASON SATURDAY

The Wilmington Pony League Team will open a defense of its 1959 league championship on Saturday morning at the High School diamond in a 10 am game with the Stoneham Eagles. The Wildcats beat out three Stoneham and four Reading teams last summer to earn the title as best in their league and, although this is primarily a 'building' year, they are determined to repeat as champions.

Boys who are returning from last year's club include Mike

Farrell, Tom Grant, Jeff Williamson, Jerry Paglia, Jim Gillis, and Jim Szadis. Newcomers are Pete Emery, Paul Currier, Mike Anderson, Ricky Outridge, Ed Sullivan, Frank Perdicaro, Billy Wendell, Dave Fuller and Lynn Billings.

Co-managers Bob Hastings, George Dyas, and John Waugh urge parents and friends of the Pony Leaguers to get out to as many of the games as possible to cheer the boys on. The full schedule will be available later, but in the meantime be sure to take in that Saturday morning game.

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THE FLOWERS THAT BLOOM IN THE SPRING

Mid May 1960, like the preceding few months,
finds the Town of Wilmington in a period of
calm. Perhaps the calm is deceptive. Most cer-
tainly it is one to which the town is not ac-
customed, judging by the past few years.

Down in the Town Hall the TM surveys a place
of peace and quiet, as he occasionally rocks
back and forth on his heels; hands in his poc-
kets.

Gone is the suppressed excitement of the
past few years, when talk of Zoning and Build-
ing Regulations, and New Industry was the order
of the day. The Selectmen are meeting only
twice a month, and have nothing exciting to
talk about when they do meet.

True, they did pass an order that certain
dangerous holes be surrounded with fences, for
the protection of children, and in the smaller
instances this order was obeyed. But Steve
Hathaway, Wilmington's Gravel Merchant of yes-
ter year has made no move towards fencing the
two lakes with which he has endowed the town.
Perhaps there may be some excitement there --
it remains to be seen.

Down on Deming Way Mr. William Agreeable
Smith is keeping quiet, his mind on the busi-
ness of Urban Renewal. He who used to argue at
the drop of a hat (green hats preferred) at a
Town Meeting is not looking for anything like
that, at the moment, thank you.

But Mr. Smith will probably have his hands
full of arguments in the near future, and those
arguments may be instituted by one member of
the Board of Selectmen, the Honorable Donald C.
Kidder.

Mr. Kidder is making no secret of the fact
that he is spoiling for a fight over Urban Re-
newal. He declared war at the last Town Meeting
with his Double Negative Motion, and he has
continued it ever since.

One of his statements is to the effect that
there isn't a single merchant in Wilmington
Square who is in favor of Urban Renewal. His
statement is factually correct but still mis-
leading, for there are several merchants who
have yet to make up their minds. But the
statement indicates the temper of Mr. Kidder.

He who has been dubbed by one irreverent in-
dividual as Wilmington's leading mason crosses
swords on every possible occasion with the Wil-
mington Housing Authority.

In the discussions of a possible nominee
to fill the vacancy in the Housing Authority it
is Mr. Kidder who comes up with a facetious
nomination. In the discussion, in last week's
meeting, of a possible Executive Meeting with
the WHA it was Mr. Kidder who moved that it not
be Executive.

Mr. Kidder is spoiling for a fight with
William Agreeable Smith, and the latter gentle-
man isn't helping Mr. Kidder's temper at all,
by keeping quiet.

THE \$25 GIMMICK

The Board of Water Commissioners have come
up with a new gimmick - a \$25 Gimmick, and it's
paying off.

It makes people want to pay their water
bills.

The Gimmick works this way. Ordinarily, if
no one is home when the Meter Reader calls, a
postcard is left, which the householder fills
in and mails, and everything goes along with no
trouble at all.

But if the card isn't mailed - well - the

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TIN HORNS

Bugles of bigotry, you

Blow tinnier

After Jack's vict'ry in West
Virginia.

Army had a term for it during World War II. If
the card isn't mailed after three or four calls
- say a year, then things are really fouled up.

So the Water Commissioners, having no other
knowledge of which to base their decision, as-
sess a \$25 charge for excess water. Such a bill
is of course immediately payable, and if not
paid becomes a lien on the property, along with
the taxes - and you know what happens when
people don't pay their taxes.

Usually the \$25 charge in itself is enough.
The householder comes charging down to the Town
Hall, the meter gets read, and the bill gets
paid - sometimes amidst a few choice expletives
but the Commissioners don't mind that.

So far they haven't had to use the Gimmick
more than once on any household.

BILLERICA READING CENTER TO HAVE SUMMER SESSION

A Reading and Study course is
being offered in the Memorial
High School this summer, for
students of Billerica and near
by towns, including Wilmington.
The course will include Im-
provement of Speed and Compre-
hension, Organizational Skills
Methods of Study, Taking Lec-
ture Notes, Analyzing examina-
tion Questions, and Improve-
ment of Vocabulary. Modern fa-
cilities are available for use
with extensive reference ma-
terials.

The groups are to meet four
times weekly at the Billerica
Memorial High School, from 9
to 11 am for daytime students
and from 6:30 to 8:30 pm for
evening students.

Registration will be during
the week of May 23-27, and may
be made by phoning MO 3-4735.
Classes will begin on July 11
and run for a five week period.

ROBERT BAVOTA PROMOTED BY PHILLIE CIGARS

Robert Bavota, Dorothy Ave.,
has been promoted to the of-
fice of Assistant Manager,
Boston District, by the Bayuk
Cigars, Inc.

OPEN HOUSE AT THE BROOKSIDE KINDERGARTEN

On Tuesday, May 24th, the
Brookside Kindergarten at 403
Woburn St. will hold Open
House between the hours of
2:30 and 4 p.m. for those en-
rolled or wishing to register
for next fall. Both Ruth Mc
Cabe and Dorothy Kemp will be
on hand to talk with parents
about the program, while the
children are getting acquaint-
ed; there will be supervision
for them.

As Brookside looks forward to
the seventh season, some ex-
citing changes have taken place.
The program has been ex-
panded to include 'Pre-School
Science', as recommended by
the Eliot-Pearson School of
Tufts University, where Mrs.
McCabe has been studying. This
program has been followed suc-
cessfully. Many interesting
experiments and exhibits, based
on child-concepts of science
and nature, have proven
both educational and fascinat-
ing for the children. It is
believed that direct experi-
ences, such as these, give
the child a good foundation
for future learning.

TOWN NOTES

Credit Where Due

Perhaps not enough credit has
been given to our High School
Band, so far this spring, but
the lads and lassies are doing
an excellent job of it.

They excelled, last week, in
Woburn during a big band cel-
ebration there, and those who
heard them last weekend, at
the Little League opening
heard a very fine bit of work.
We'll hear them again, on
Memorial Day.

Route 93

Route 93, according to the
Boston newspapers, will 'pro-
bably' be opened for traffic
on Memorial Day.

Meanwhile we can report that
(1) signs have been erected
along the new highway, at the
various exits, and that they
are not of the same high qual-
ity as those along Route 128,
and (2) The State Cops are re-
ported to have been spending a
busy couple of weeks chasing
would be parkers off the new
highway, each night.

Fishing

Fishing, in the streams etc
continues poor, as the water
remains high.

Bob McFeeters, we are told,
caught a number of bass down
in Horn Pond, one of them
weighing in at 3 1/2 pounds.

High Power, Etc.

The movies of the Nike, which
were to be shown at the Holy
Name meeting last Sunday ran
into a bit of power trouble,
and it wasn't the kind of power
trouble that some of our
more publicized rockets have
been experiencing.

In this case it was a techni-
cian plugging a 110 volt power
line into a 220 volt circuit.
It was for a demonstration
Board which accompanied the
exhibit, and the fizz and
smoke that resulted didn't
come from the Nikes.

But the New England Tel & Tel
has had their licks after all,
in Wilmington, for they showed
the film last night at the
Walker School, and will be
showing it to the Whitefield
parents on May 23rd.

Barbers Beware!

Wilmington Barber Shops may
expect a visit from the State
Board of Barber Examiners in
the near future.

A complaint has been lodged
regarding one barber shop in
this town. One complaint al-
ways means that every barber-
shop in the area undergoes a
scrutiny, no matter how fine
the other shops are.

Any day now the eagle eyed
Inspectors may be expected to
pop in on the local tonsorial
artists.

The Radian

Our Avco plant publishes a
monthly paper called The Ra-
dian. As time progresses we
have been noting more and more
that the names of Wilmington
residents are being included
in the news published in the
Radian - meaning of course
that more and more Wilmington
people are being employed at
Avco.

The May 1960 Radian has, for
instance, a nice picture of
Wes Baker of Westdale Avenue,
plus reports on Professional
Papers written by A. C. Walker
Jr., of Burlington Avenue
(better known to Wilmington as
'Gus' Walker) and Martin I.
Lesnik, of Lawrence Court.

AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY TOURS AVCO

Nearly 100 professional chem-
ists and chemical engineers,
members of the Analytical
Group of the Northeastern Sec-
tion of the American Chemical
Society met at Avco, on Lowell
Street, yesterday, for a din-
ner and speaking program.

A tour of the plant was held
prior to the dinner. Chairman
of the Analytical Group is
Russell T. Werby, of Werby La-
boratories Inc., 54 Alton
Place, Brookline.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere
thanks for the many acts of
kindness extended to us during
our recent bereavement.

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BURLINGTON AVENUE

LETTERS

Capt Larz Neilson, Editor
Wilmington, Mass.
Dear Larz:

I take an exception to your article in the Town Crier relative to the Ruling of the Board of Appeals and the Town Counsel Philip Buzzell.

I understand that the Board of Appeals was agreeable to grant me my variance with a 30 foot right of way to the rear property and the Town Counsel, Phillip Buzzell in a letter, which Mr. Anderson let me read stated that the Board of Appeals did have the right to

grant me my variance and that the rule and law, which was under dispute between the Board of Appeals and the Planning Board applied in effect to large sub-divisions of large acreage.

I did not request, in my opinion a sub-division. I own and intend to keep title to the complete plot of land and where-by for a period of over twenty years there has been a driveway in continuous use from Chestnut St to the house which is now on the property.

I have paid taxes on this property since 1950 and I have the bill for the water better-

ment that has been extended from Hillside Way to Mill Pond which I as owner of the land am obligated to pay and I feel that it is unjust that the Planning Board considers there own interpretation of the law and object to the Board of Appeals intent of granting me my variance. However, I suppose that I should consider it a privilege and an honor to be permitted to reside in Wilmington and also I should feel happy to pay my taxes and water betterment so that the natives and older citizens of Wilmington may continue to enjoy the good country air, the

good water and many beautiful wooded country scenes.

I may drop into your office some fair day in the near future as I would like to check on some previous copies of the Town Crier.

Sincerely Yours,
Harold L. Stevens
398 Chestnut Street
Wilmington, Mass.

Dear Larz:

Now that the Town Manager and Board of Selectmen have turned down the construction of a pathway between Federal St and the Wildwood School I would like to extend an invitation

to those gentlemen to join the first and second grade children on their mile and one half hike some zero degree morning I am sure they would enjoy the fresh air and the exercise they would get from dodging the cars along Woburn St.
(Name withheld by request).

ELLIS OF FIRE DEPARTMENT IN ST JOHN'S HOSPITAL

Charles Ellis of the Wilmington Fire Department was admitted to St John's Hospital, Lowell, Tuesday, for surgery Wednesday and again later in the week. He expects to be there for two weeks.

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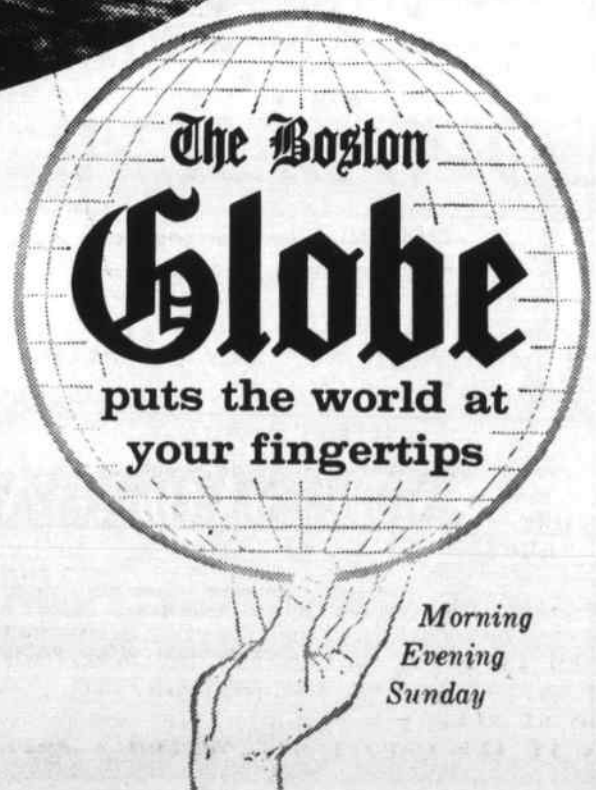
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ST THOMAS NEWS
MASSES: Sunday, Church 7, 8, 9
 10, 11, 12; Hall 10, 11.
 Weekday 7 a.m.
THURSDAY: 8 p.m. Giant Holy

Name Whist.
FRIDAY: Week-end retreat for
 married couples at Sacred
 Heart Retreat House in Waltham
 8:15 p.m. CYO Record Hop fea-

turing Tommy Hand's Jazz Band.
SATURDAY: 9 a.m. Rehearsal for
 the May Procession Sunday.
 There will be no Catechism
 Classes.

11:10 a.m. CYO baseball prac-
 tice at the High School Field.
SUNDAY: Communion Sunday for
 the boys and young men of the
 parish.

2 p.m. The May Procession.
 2 p.m. Election and installa-
 tion of officers of the newly
 formed Wilmington Council
 Knights of Columbus 4982.
COMING: June 4 Rag and Scrap
 drive.

June 12 Released-time Gradu-
 ation.

BANNS: I-David Tufts - Mary A.
 McCormack.

PRAYERS: Rt. Rev. George M.
 Dowd, Rev. James F. Redding,
 Rev. Cherliv who is seriously
 ill, John Froton, Our Sick and
 Deceased Parishioners.

**MRS. WAVIE DREW REELECTED
 REPUBLICAN CHAIRMAN**

Mrs. Wavie M. Drew of West St.
 was re-elected Chairman of the
 Wilmington Republican Town
 Committee, Monday night.

Other officers elected were:
 Vice Chairman Paul G. Godzyk,
 Lowell Street; Secretary, Mrs.
 Ruth M. Kitchener, Aldrich
 Road, and Treasurer, Miss
 Maude M. Richardson, Woburn St.
 Delegates to the Worcester
 Convention, June 11th., Roland
 I. Wood, Lockwood Road, Paul
 G. Godzyk, Lowell St., and Mrs.
 Ruth M. Kitchener, Aldrich Rd.

The written ballot system was
 used in all elections.

Appointed to the Membership
 Committee were Howard J. Mur-
 phy, Roland I. Wood, and Mil-
 lard C. Pipes.

Appointed to the Program Com-
 mittee by the Vice Chairman
 were Ruth M. Kitchener, Helen
 M. Reynolds, Arnold F. Lanni,
 Philip E. Nelson, Mary E. Mur-
 phy, Florence B. Polsey, Hen-
 rietta C. Tuttel, Flora M.
 Kasabuski and Donald C. Kidder.

It was voted to hold all Re-
 publican Town Committee meet-
 ings on the second Tuesday of
 each month.

**READING UNITARIAN CHURCH
 243 Woburn Street**

Reading, Mass.
 Saturday, May 21, 1960
 9 a.m. Education Day Confer-
 ences - May Meeting. Held at
 the Hotel Bradford, Boston.
 Sunday, May 22nd.

11 a.m. Morning Worship
 4:30 p.m. Junior High Fellow-
 ship.

6 p.m. High School L.R.Y.
 7:30 p.m. Emanons Dinner meet-
 ing at the home of Linda Ris-
 ing, 97 Middlesex Ave.

8:15 p.m. May meetings - An-
 niversary Service at the Arl-
 ington Street Church, Boston.
 Monday, May 23rd.

9 a.m. American Unitarian
 Assoc. Annual meeting.
 8:30 p.m. Unitarians Univer-
 salist Joint Worship Service.
 Tuesday, May 24th

9 a.m. American Unitarian
 assoc. Annual meeting.
 6:30 p.m. Anniversary Banquet
 at The Dorothy Quincy Suite,
 John Hancock Building.

WHITEFIELD P.T.A.

The annual meeting of the
 Whitefield P.T.A. will be held
 at 8 P.M. Monday, May 23rd at
 the school. Election of offi-
 cers for the coming year will
 be held at this time.

Following the meeting an in-
 teresting program will be pre-
 sented by the telephone comp-
 any. Refreshments will be serv-
 ed in the cafeteria.

**PLANNING BOARD CHANGES
 MEETING NIGHTS**

The Wilmington Planning Board
 has voted to hold its regular
 meetings on the second and
 fourth Tuesdays of the month,
 starting in the month of June.

A meeting will be held on May
 31st. All meetings are to be
 in the Town Hall.

**BUILDING INSPECTOR'S
 REPORT ON ALLEGED VIOLATIONS**

Building Inspector Minot An-
 derson has reported to the
 Planning Board on three al-
 leged violations of the Zoning
 Laws, in Wil-ington.

He reported that a house-
 trailer, off Main Street was
 the subject of a Board of Ap-
 peals hearing on July 2, 1959,
 and that to date no decision
 has been filed with the Town
 Clerk.

In the second instance, he
 reported that attorney's af-
 fidavits, concerning a garage
 on Butters Row, had been filed
 with the Selectmen, and that
 'I believe there is a non-
 conforming use'. The Planning
 Board holds that there are
 'illegal signs on an illegal
 garage'.

The third subject was the old
 cement tower, across from Wein-
 berg's. Anderson said 'I feel
 that the test of the safety
 hazard is the number of injur-
 ies in the past year. None
 have been reported. A request
 has gone to the owner to re-
 move or fence it'.

THE CARTER GOSPEL TEAM

The Carter Gospel team will
 be conducting evening services
 at the First Baptist Church,
 173 Church Street, Wilmington,
 from May 22 to May 27th, in-
 clusive. The Sunday evening
 service on May 22nd will be
 held at 7 p.m., the services
 during the week will be held
 at 7:30 p.m.

The Carter Gospel Team, Amer-
 ica's only full-time Interracial-
 Interdenominational Evange-
 listic Party composed of Evan-
 gelist and Mrs. Edward (Eddie)
 Carter, colored, and Miss
 Treatre Thumith, white, is a
 team dedicated to proclaim the
 message of the Gospel of Jesus
 Christ through music and spok-
 en word. 'Their music and mes-
 sage strike home to hearts with
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The films, in full color, have won the International Film Festival awards.

SCHOOL CAFETERIA MENUS
Week of May 23rd

Monday
Baked Macaroni & Cheese with Tomatoes, Green Salad, Peanut Butter Sandwich, Fruit Marlow, Milk.

Tuesday
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Wednesday
Dagwood Juniors, Potato Chips Sliced Cucumbers, Citrus Fruit Milk.

Thursday
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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
The Rev. Robert E. Sanders will conduct the 11 a.m. worship service, May 22nd with Kenneth G. Kelley, organist and choirmaster, directing the choir. Church School sessions are at 9:30 and 10:50 a.m.

'Kinderkirk' (child care service) is available to parents during worship service.

The Junior Fellowship meets at 4:30 p.m. under the supervision of John Waters, Jr., assistant to the pastor.

Fireside Fellowship will hold a cookout this Sunday at the home of their adult advisors, Mr. & Mrs. Herbert Higley.

'Central Themes of the Old Testament' is the subject of a series of bible classes being conducted at 9:30 a.m. in the sanctuary, Sundays, by Mr. Waters.

An adult bible 'study group' is also underway for Sunday evenings with the first meeting taking place last week at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Philip Andrews of Gunderson Rd. This group is unlike a 'class' in that it will set its own pace and undertake their study in an informal manner.

The 'Congregational Men' will meet Thursday, May 19th for a 7 p.m. supper cooked by an all male crew of chefs. Nominations for the election of officers which will take place at this meeting are, Pres.: Bill Hanna; Vice-Pres.: Foster Balser; Sec'y-Tr.: Ron Kennedy. Further nominations will be invited from the floor. Dr. John

P. Silvers will be guest speaker and will conduct a question period following his talk.

Tickets for the Community Men Communion Breakfast, 7 a.m., May 22 at the High School gym may be obtained from Bob Stevens, OL 8-2830. Kendall Wright of the Big Brothers' Association will address the men following breakfast.

Children's Day will be observed, June 12th at 10 a.m. There will be no other church services this day. The following Sunday, June 19th, the church will go on its summer schedule of worship service at 10 a.m.

The Rev. Robert Sanders will be on vacation from June 27 to Aug. 3. Guest ministers will occupy the pulpit during this time.

The North Branch will sponsor a film and lecture by the well known Henry W. Briggs, Saturday, May 21 at 8 p.m. in the parish house. Mr. Briggs will illustrate his 'Journey into the Forest' and tickets may be obtained from members of the North Branch. Refreshments are to be served.

Miss Dorothy Claypool of the Division of Christian Education of the Congregational Christian Churches will conduct an informal workshop in the church vestry for the benefit of the church school teachers at 8 p.m., May 25th. If you teach now; think you may like to teach in the future; have an interest in youth work then Miss Claypool's workshop is not to be missed. These

instructive sessions are not conducted, as a rule, in individual churches, but rather by districts, so that Miss Clay-

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tional opening day double-head-



Ritchie

er, Billy Ritchie permitted
only a first inning hit by
veteran Kirk Anderson to the
defending champion AVCO Yan-
kees as the Unit Packet Tigers
shut them out, 8-0. Thirteen
Yankees went down via the
strikeout route as the Tiger
ace helped his own cause with
a single, double and three
runs batted in. Billy added in
sult to injury late in the
game when he stole home with
the final run of the contest.

In the second game, Wayne
Hamilton held the Chisholm In-
dians to only two hits and two
runs as the Cain Red Sox notch-
ed their first win by a 5-2
count. Kevin Sullivan pitched
for the losers and deserved a
better fate except for some
questionable fielding by his
mates. Wayne was backed up by
five Red Sox hits.

Prior to the first ball of
the season being thrown out by
Honorable Mayor George Spanos,
all of the uniformed major

league teams and the minor lea-
gue teams paraded with Little
League officials and the High
School band from the High Sch-
ool to Murray Field.

Bob Smith, Lenny Galvin, and
Billy Cawthron turned in out-
standing performances for the
Unit Packet Tigers in addition
to the work of Pitcher Billy
Ritchie. With Joe Tennihan of
the Red Sox, Bob Given of the
Yankees, Billy Kasabuski of
the Indians and Len Galvin of
the Tigers, the Little League
seems to have the best group
of catchers they have had in
years.

Team	W	L	Standings
Tigers	1	0	1.000
Red Sox	1	0	1.000
Yankees	0	1	.000
Indians	0	1	.000

Schedule	
Monday	Yankees vs Tigers
Tuesday	Red Sox vs Indians
Wednesday	Indians vs Yankees
Thursday	Tigers vs Red Sox

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son and the management invites
one and all to drop in for a
visit. The track is located on
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feated the top-dog North An-
dover boys, by a score of 3 to
2. The game lasted nine in-
nings.



Field Crosses the Plate

Kevin Field and Jimmy Melzar,
hitting two baggers in the
ninth, with two men out, ended
the game when Field crossed the
plate.

The game was marked by tight
play throughout, except for a
boo-boo by Wilmington in the
third inning, at third base,
when errors, mostly coaching,
resulted in two needless outs.
Wilmington's Ricky Frotten,
star pitcher of last year's
Pony League, pitched and

struck out 17 men, in an iron
man display of pitching. He
was still throwing them hard
and fast, in the ninth inning.

North Andover's shortstop,
Foster, bagged a homer in the
third inning, driving in an-
other run, to put the visitors
ahead, 2 to 1. Prior to that
Joe Beaton had scored Wilming-
ton's only run for the first
part of the game.

The seventh inning was par-
ticularly tight, as Frotten
allowed three men to get on
base before striking out the
next three.



Frotten

He then went on to strike out
three in the eighth, and as
already stated, made a total
of 17 strikeouts for the game.

Kevin Field hit a two bagger
to center field in the last
half of the ninth, and then
was driven home by Jimmy Mel-
zar, who hit a two bagger to
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Rene La Rivee of Concord St. Treasurer.
Edward Curtis, of Andover St. was also nominated for Chairman, and lost by a narrow margin. Other contested offices, which were also lost by narrow margins, were: Ralph Peterson, Salem Street, Vice Chairman, and Jean Lewis, King Street, Recording Secretary.
McLaughlin, Cantrell and Ernest Crispo were elected as delegates to the State Convention. Their election is also being contested.

SALVATION ARMY
The Salvation Army today released two announcements of interest to Wilmington residents. The Annual Financial Appeal will begin on Friday, May 20. Volunteer workers will call on local residents in an all-out effort to raise funds for such regional agencies as summer camps for deserving youngsters, clubs for servicemen and women, rehabilitation centers, and emergency disaster services.
Twenty percent of the money contributed is retained locally, and is disbursed by the Wilmington service unit for immediate on-the-spot aid of local residents. Such direct local aid has consisted of emergency medical treatments, fuel clothing, and food orders for needy families, summer camp for youngsters, and other miscellaneous emergency aid items.
Anyone wishing to serve as a worker should contact the Residential Appeal Chairmen, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon L. Randall of 4 Birchwood Rd., No. Wilmington, Phone OL 8-3831.
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The equipment in the loan closet will be available for use by Wilmington residents. Inquiries as to use, or for equipment donations, should be directed to the Chairman of the Wilmington Service Unit, Dr. J. P. Silvers, 405 Andover Street, No. Wilmington, OLiver 8-4152.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
First Baptist Church, 173 Church Street; Sunday School is held at 9:45 a.m., with classes for the Pre-School children through adult. Sunday Morning Worship Service is at 11 a.m. Dr. Philip Johnson's sermon this week will be, 'A Bag With Holes'. Thursday, evening at 7:30 p.m., 'Hour of Power', prayer and Bible Study conducted by Dr. Johnson. A Pulpit Committee meeting will be held tonight at 8:30 p.m., and all members are urged to attend this meeting.



BONNIE KNIGHT
Ronnie Knight, High School sophomore, won his yet to be beaten, in mile races, in High School track, this year. In this picture he is winning the mile race against Billerica last Thursday.



BOARD OF HEALTH WILMINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS
The Board of Health of the Town of Wilmington in the County of Middlesex, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, acting under the authority of the General Laws and amendments and additions thereto, and by any other power thereto enabling and acting thereunder and in accordance therewith, have, in the interest of and for the preservation of public health, duly made and adopted the following amendments to its rules and regulations:
Chapter 4
Septic Tanks, Cesspools, Privy Vaults, and Public Sewers
Section 2, Subsection 2.1 - The second paragraph of this subsection is herewith rescinded and the following amendment is herewith adopted: 'The house sewer shall be at least four (4), preferably six (6) inches in diameter, constructed of cast iron pipe, laid with lead-caulked joints, to a septic tank.'
The above amendments were adopted by unanimous vote of the Board of Health, Town of Wilmington, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, at a regular meeting of the Board of Health held May 16, 1960, and will be in full force and effect on and after July 1, 1960.
Board of Health
A. C. Walker, Jr., Chmn
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Erving S. Pfau

BOARD OF APPEALS PUBLIC HEARING
A public hearing will be held in the Town Hall on June 2, 1960, at 8 pm on the application of Charles W. and Barbara J. Morris, 55 King Street, Chula Vista, California for a variance in the Zoning By Law to allow for the erection of a house on a lot of land not having the required depth, between Carter Street and Walker St.
Louis E. Gage, Chmn.
M12, 19 Board of Appeals

BOARD OF APPEALS PUBLIC HEARING
A public hearing will be held in the Town Hall at 8:30 pm June 2, 1960, on the application of Ernest Cail, 16 Fairview Ave. for a variance in the zoning laws to divide a lot of land, between Fairview Ave. and Lexington St.
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS LAND COURT
PETITION TO FORECLOSE TAX LIEN
(Seal) No. 37587
TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, and to the Town of Wilmington, a municipal corporation, located in the County of Middlesex; Archibald K. McLeod and Mrs. Archibald McLeod, if any, or their heirs, devisees or legal representatives;
Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Francis J. Linehan and Beatrice D. Linehan, both of Wilmington, in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth, to foreclose all rights of redemption from the tax lien proceedings described in said petition in and concerning a certain parcel of land situate in said Wilmington, in the County of said Middlesex and in said Commonwealth, bounded and described in said petition as follows:
Northerly by Lots 7 and 52 on a plan hereinafter mentioned, 175 feet; Easterly by Forest Street, 60 feet; Southerly by Lot 4, 150 feet; Westerly by Wirt Avenue, 50 feet, and further shown as Lots 5 and 6 on a plan of Wilmington Manor, Wilmington, Massachusetts, owned by Frank W. Coughlin, said plan being recorded in the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds Book of Plans 27, Plan 7.
If you desire to make any objection or defense to said petition you or your attorney must file a written appearance and an answer, under oath, setting forth clearly and specifically your objections or defense to each part of said petition, in the office of the Recorder of said Court in Boston (at the Court House), on or before the thirty-first day of May next.
Unless an appearance is so filed by or for you, your default will be recorded, the said petition will be taken as confessed and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.
And in addition to the usual service of this notice as required by law, it is ordered that the foregoing citation be published forthwith once each week for three successive weeks in the Advertiser and Town Crier a newspaper published in said Wilmington.
Witness, JOHN E. FENTON, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of April in the year nineteen hundred and sixty.
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Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court by Vincent A. DiLuca and Giovanna DiLuca, both of Reading, in said County of Middlesex, to register and confirm their title in the following described land:
A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Wilmington, bounded and described as follows:
Easterly by Beech Street 144 feet; Southerly by Wall Street 466.67 feet; Northwesterly by land now or formerly of John Taylor 40.93 feet; Westerly by land of said John Taylor and land now or formerly of Thomas G. Kelley 73.58 feet; Northerly by land of Thomas G. Kelley, Anthony Ambrose, Augustus McLaughlin, Agnes McLaughlin, Nathan Wolpert, Guy Hendrickson, Elizabeth Hendrickson, Thomas F. Connelly and Margaret Connelly 491 feet.
The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.
If you desire to make any objection or defense to said petition you or your attorney must file a written appearance and an answer under oath, setting forth clearly and specifically your objections or defense to each part of said petition, in the office of the Recorder of said Court in Boston (at the Court House), or in the office of the Assistant Recorder of said Court at Lowell in the County of Middlesex where a copy of the plan filed with said petition is deposited, on or before the thirteenth day of June next.
Unless an appearance is so filed by or for you, your default will be recorded, the said petition will be taken as confessed and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.
Witness JOHN E. FENTON, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of May in the year nineteen hundred and sixty.
Attest with Seal of said Court. Margaret M. Daly, Recorder. (Seal)
M19, 25, J2. Joseph R. Zottoli
40 Court St. Boston Mass. Atty for the Petitioners.

BIRTHS

ANDERSON, Charlene, first daughter, second child, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Anderson, High Street, in Winchester Hospital on May 13th.

Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Wigo Anderson of Park Street and Mr and Mrs Norman Rice, of Tewksbury.

It is the fourth great grand child for Retired Fire Chief and Mrs. Winnie Rice, of State Street.

BARCROFT, Kimberly Ann, first child, to Mr and Mrs Ralph Barcroft, 27 Salem Street, No. Wilmington, in Lawrence General Hospital, Lawrence, on May 4th.

Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Raymond C Barcroft of Lawrence and Mrs Samuel Cavallaro of North Andover.

BEYER, David, first child, to Mr and Mrs Henry Beyer, Derwood, Maryland, May 8th. Mrs. Beyer is the former Janet Condrey, daughter of Mr and Mrs Stephen Condrey, Middlesex Ave.

CAIN, Patricia Elaine, second daughter, third child to Mr. and Mrs. Fred F. Cain, 19 Clark Street, in Winchester Hospital, May 17th.

Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Fred D Cain and Mr and Mrs William P. Curtin, all of Wilmington.

KENNEDY, Stephen Ronald, first child, to Mr and Mrs Ronald

Kennedy, 131 Church Street, in Winchester Hospital, May 14th.

Grandparents are Mrs Lily Kennedy of Revere, and Mr and Mrs Carl Connor, of Middlesex Avenue.

TILLEY, John Joseph, to Mr and Mrs John H. Tilley, Gorham Street, Lowell, on May 5th., in Lowell General Hospital, 1st son, third child.

Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Samuel Cavallaro of Grove Ave. and Mrs. Burt Tilley of Glendale Circle.

GARDEN FESTIVAL

The W.S.C.S. of the Methodist Church will begin its' annual Garden Festival on the church grounds, Saturday, May 21 with a colorful children's parade

at 10 a.m.

Following the parade and the crowning of the May Queen, the children will be entertained in the Fellowship Hall, by a Magician and Ventriloquist.

Plants for the home garden will occupy only one of the stands. Others will be the Home Baked Food, Candy, Gifts, and White-Elephant tables. The grabs, balloons and Refreshment stand will be the main interest of the younger set.

The Tea Room in the Fellowship Hall will be open during the entire festival which will last until 3:30 p.m., rain or shine.

STEPPING STONES KINDERGARTEN VISITS BIG BROTHER

Pupils of Betty Sullivan's Stepping Stones Kindergarten were on WBZ Big Brother's program, May 16. The previous week's visits were to Stoneham to the zoo and the Wilmington Fire Department.

Charles Webster obligingly climbed to the top of the extended ladder on the new fire truck. The kindergarteners produced a remarkable set of pictures of the ladder truck, ambulance, and CD Rescue Truck. Parents and friends are welcome at the graduation exercises, 10:30 a.m. June 8.

PROFESSOR DOUGLASS TO RETIRE FROM MIT

Professor Raymond D. Douglass of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology will retire at the end of the academic year, the Institute has announced.

A graduate of the University of Maine (1916) he was awarded his PhD from MIT in 1931. In World War I he served in the US Navy, and then became a member of the staff of M.I.T., specializing professionally in graphical mathematics, nomographic charts, and the evaluation of definite integrals and mathematical series.

Professor Douglass, a resident of Wilmington for about a year, lives at 291 Woburn St.

FUNERAL OF JANET THERIAULT FIRST FROM ST. DOROTHY'S

Janet Frances Theriault, nine year old daughter of Mr and Mrs Charles J. Theriault of Fairmeadow Road, who passed away suddenly in the St John's Hospital, in Lowell, last Friday, was the first person to be buried from the new St. Dorothy's Church.

A Mass of the Angels was celebrated by the Rev. Father Joseph Leahy, Monday morning.

The burial was in the family lot, in the Wildwood Cemetery. In addition to her parents, Charles and Janet (Reynolds) she is survived by two brothers, James and Stephen, and a sister Joanne Patricia.

The W. S. Cavanaugh Funeral Home, 374 Main Street, was in charge of funeral arrangements

EX-WILMINGTON GIRL WAS FLORIDA QUEEN

Miss Gail Norton, 18 year old daughter of Mr and Mrs Lawrence Norton, of Mayport, Fla. and formerly of Wightman Road in Wilmington was elected Miss Mayport, this spring, in Mayport, Florida.

As Miss Mayport she headed the opening day ceremonies of the spring fishing season, and also had her own float, in the opening day at Jacksonville Beach.

Gail is the granddaughter of Mr and Mrs Carl Backman, of Chestnut Street.

JUNE 18TH SUPPER-DANCE

The C.D.A. of St. Thomas Court No. 1446 are sponsoring a supper-dance to be held on June 18th at Villanova Hall, Middlesex Ave., Wilmington. All will find something to their liking, whether it be the buffet supper banquet from 6 to 8 p.m. or the dancing to Charlie Knute's orchestra from 8 onward throughout the evening.

Tickets may be had through the committee chairman, Mrs Mae Quandt, OL 8-2442. Both couples and stags are welcome.

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THE MAYOR AT WORK

His Honor, Mayor George Spanos, draws winning names for Louis Hailson, of the Silver Lake Pharmacy, at his home on Deming Way.

George drew the names of Art Kelley of Shawsheen Avenue, and Mrs Saulnier of Adams St. They were both awarded a Westinghouse Electric Frying Pan.

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